

## THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 16.

**A CURIOUS INCIDENT.**—The death of the Empress Augusta of Germany recalls the curious story of the birth of the widowed Grand Duchess Alexandrine of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, the sole surviving sister of the late Emperor William. She was born during a ball at the Royal Palace, Queen Louise and her Grand Mistress of the Robes, Countess von Voss, left the ball suddenly and noisily shortly after the dancing had commenced, and the entertainment proceeded without interruption. Toward midnight the Countess suddenly returned to the ball-room arrayed in a dress gown, and regardless of court etiquette hurried up through the miz of dancers to the King, to whom she announced the birth of a daughter. There was a burst of merriment at such an extraordinary apparition among the gorgeously attired guests, and Prince Wittgenstein not only wrote a poem concerning the scene, but even commissioned an artist to represent it on canvas, subsequently presenting the picture to the Countess. The exceptionally jovial circumstances of her birth appear to have had a permanent effect on the temperament of the Grand Duchess. For notwithstanding her great age—she is within a few months of her ninetieth year—she is still one of the merriest and pleasantest old ladies of German society. —New York Tribune

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March 2, 1890.

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